

## **REMARKS**

Applicant has amended claim 17 to correct a typographical error.

Claim 17 has been amended as follows:

17. (Currently Amended) The method of claim ~~[[1]]~~ 14, further comprising:

creating an association between the script and the graphical program;

locking the association between the script and the graphical program, wherein said locking prevents user editing of the graphical program.

The phrase “the script” in claim 17 lacked antecedent basis due to a typographical error. Thus, Applicant has amended claim 17 to depend from claim 14.

Applicant respectfully notes that this Amendment is filed after Notice of Appeal and prior to the date a brief is filed pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §41.37. Applicant respectfully believes that this Amendment is entitled to entry under the standards set for in MPEP §1207.

## CONCLUSION

In light of the foregoing amendments and remarks, Applicant submits the application is now in condition for allowance, and an early notice to that effect is requested.

If any extensions of time (under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136) are necessary to prevent the above referenced application(s) from becoming abandoned, Applicant(s) hereby petition for such extensions. If any fees are due, the Commissioner is authorized to charge said fees to Meyertons, Hood, Kivlin, Kowert & Goetzel PC Deposit Account No. 50-1505/5150-44300/JCH.

Also enclosed herewith are the following items:

- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard
- ☐ Petition for Extension of Time
- ☐ Request for Approval of Drawing Changes
- ☐ Notice of Change of Address
- ☐ Check in the amount of \$        for fees (        ).
- ☐ Other:

Respectfully submitted,



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